## LOCAL BASKET-BALL OFFICIALS SHOULD ENFORCE RULES—OTHER SPORTS

### Officials Let College Basketers Break Rules

Many Fail to Call Fouls, Causing Game to Get Beyond Control-Referee Given Little Help from

(By JOHN A. DUGAN)

There is a great deal of criticomm holding the limelight at present in regard to the way college kames are officiated in the local ranks. Some of the colleges do not really do not official and overlooked by another.

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Game a Joke.

one local newspaper refused to print a line on the sad happenings. Perhaps because it was against the press agent's frame of mind to say press agent's frame of mind to say anything that would corrupt the morale, while another handled the event as a joke. If dive tackling, using elbows for blocking and actual throwing of fist, to such an extent that a quartette of athletes are banished from the fray, is to be taken as a joke, then it must be admitted that life in the Ar-gonne forest was mere boys' play, compared to either of these clubs,

when they get a little rough.

After the Catholic U.-Delaware trouble I talked with several coachs and officials and found that foul tend to be an expert on this great-

several games in the high schools and found that there was a vast difference in the cleanliness of the game as compared with those played by the colleges. The high school teams seem to be coached to any strict attention to every rule contained in the manual, and the latest the abolition of the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the state of the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the state of the abolition of the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the stymic even in the united States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the colleges. The high vehool teams seem to be coached to any strict attention to every rule contained in the manual, and the states of the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the other than the colleges. The high vehoal teams are strictly stated to the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the stymic even in the United States, and what sort of a reception the U. S. G. A. committee will meet on the stymic even in the stymic even

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There appears to be a certain amount of jealousy between the referee and umpire officiating in the same contests. It has been stated by several well known officials who have been called upon to impire instead of referee that they were not supposed to call fouls that should be called by the referee, and although they see the referee, and although they see the committed and not called by the 1, according to instructions sent today

#### Erickson Has Signd

Eric J. Erickson sent his signed contract for the season of 1920 to President Griffith yesterday. The tall twirler reports that he is feel-ing better than he did last spring, as he has been working outdoors, and that he will be on hand to start with the balance of the players on March 29.

# STYMIE RULES

#### United States Golf Association Committee to Confer With British Officials.

There appears to be a well defined move on foot to abolish the stymie in competitive golf in the offense after foul offense is com- United States and this movement. mitted in every game that gets by as already announced, has gone so without being called. I do not pre- far that the United States Golf tend to be an expert on this great-est of all indoor sports. The Herald Association will send a committee has on its staff one of the best to Great Britain next spring to known authorities of the game. In confer with officials of the Royal an effort to dig to the bottom of and Ancient Golf Club at St. An-

tained in the manual, and the officials have little trouble enforcing every infringement that occurs. Why college games cannot be officiated with the same strict compliance with the rules other time, when the Royal and is beyond me. same strict compliance with the rules is beyond me.

In talking this question over with several prominent officials and coaches they made the statement that if every penalty was called in a college if every penalty was called in a college. recegnized as the authoritative the grif every penalty was called in a college contest the game would develop into a free goal tossing game. If the high school coaches can develop their quints to play the game in strict observance of the rules, why is it that college mentors cannot do the same? It is known to be sopposed to any drastic change and it is not believed that it will look with favod on any proposition, such as the abolition of the stymic that college contests if the coaches were on the job and compelled their teams to practice and play the game in accordance with the rules.

Officials Jealous.

There appears to be a certain

### Contracts Before Mar. 1

them committed and not called by the referee they let them go by and they are not called.

In studying the rules I particularly observed that the umpire has the power to call any foul committed on any part of the court.

In witnessing several college contests I noticed that a certain foul was announced by Mr. Farrell.

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Many times the army boys had easy shots under their basket but the quick guarding of Joynes, kept the Preps lads from registering. Leoh-

#### LARGE SQUAD OUT FOR C. U. TRACK TEAM

terial. Coach Bill Foley has already uncovered some boys who have had a little experience. In Glascot, Har-rington and Rutledge, Foley has three men who have won their letters at Catholic University in track but they

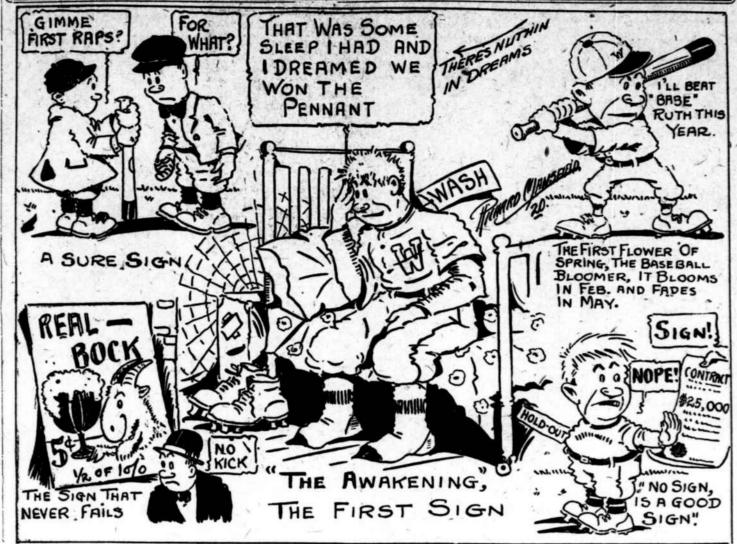
Catholic University in track but they have not been putting in the length of time the other track athletes have because of basket-ball work.

Coach Foley is well satisfied with the prospects of the cinder path game at the Brookland Institute. Every evening last week the veteran track coach could be seen hustling the athletes along the game the record at present here. letes along, the squad at present being made up of seventy-eight candi-dates. Foley is confident he will have the majority of the Red and Black athletes in good shape for their first annual indoor track meet to be held at the Brookland gym on Saturday,

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### "SIGNS OF SPRING."



### Trade Baker and Perry for Federation to Support Players on Commission Felsch and Jackson, Rumor

an effort to dig to the bottom of this growing trouble I immediately referred to a rule book and proceeded to digest it.

School game clean.

During the last few weeks I have atcheded several games in the high schools and found that there was a schools and found that there was a difference in the cleanliness of the game as compared with those

Mexican Eliminated Rule.

and Ancient Golf Club at St. Ancher Chicago. Feb. 7.—Organizers of the Professional Baseball Players Union who are claiming the gupport of the American Federation of Labor in their fight for representation on the National Baseball Commission have announced that the strike which was scheduled to take place this week if the demands of the players were refused at the commission meeting will be

mands of the players were refused; at the commission meeting will be deferred until the opening games of the season.

One of the reasons given for the change of plans is that the suit of the Baltimore Federal League Club against the National Commission against the National Commission involves much baseball politics and should the decision be rendered against the two major leagues, or-ganized baseball must be run on a more liberal policy than at pres-

ent, and in that event the players would have a chance to gain their ends with less friction. The players will, however, pre-sent their demands at the commis-

ler's floor work and shooting was the feature of the afternoon. Summary:
Tech. Position. A.N. Preps.
Hutchinson. L. F. Peugnet.
McCartee. B. F. Perkins.
Leohler. Center Murphy
Joynes. L. G. Schapier, Veriaser. R. G. Carson
Subatitutions—Tech: House for Joynes;
A. N. Preps: Denniston for Perkins. Goals
from floor—Hutchinson, 8; McCartee, Leohler,
9; Peugnet. 2; Schapier, 2. Goals from
fouls—Perkins, 3 out of 4; Schapier, 2 out
of 3; Hutchinson, 4 out of 5. Referee, Sauber (Yankees). Time of quarters, 8 minutes
each. floor work and shooting was the

Catholic University, according to appearance, has a wealth of track material. Coach Bill Foley has already

## **DEFEATS GONZAGA**

The Gonzaga High School team were defeated by the Mt. St. Jo-seph's of Baltimore in a hard fought contest yesterday by 20 to 16. Byrnes was the feature of the Washington lads, while Clark starred for the Monumental City boys. The summary:

# Putting the Next One Over With BUGS BAER BUGS BAER ROCKAWAY HOTELS.

The first symptoms of a European movement in American real policy of the present their demands at the commission meeting, expecting that there sean then called the commission meeting, expecting that there is an early type with relatored means of the players or cannication have stated that they of not wish to be arbitrary or take as any advantage of the present their proposition, and it was time to bilme one more thing on the Democratic administration. With a policy of time to consider their proposition, and it was time to bilme one more thing on the players of the proposition, and it is event of their proposition, and it is the player of every professional ball player will be ordered.

A. AND N. PREPS LOSE

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fought from start to finish. Teen across in Secan work outclassed the A. N. Preps cured Shamrock IV and lit out after 'em like a weasel after a string come out of this is the transferring in every stage.

Many times the army boys had easy shots under their basket but the he can beat.

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If the Shamrock reaches Europe first, Tommy will demand one of the handles of the American cup. The New York Yach Club committee on deep sea bungalow racing may decide that Lippy is entitled only to the shoe polish they shine the cup with.

The only news received of the hotel race so far was picked up by the Captain of Thorpe's Hotel, Freeport, Long Island. It states his hotel is out of the race with a busted hinge on the pantry door. He will put into Havana for repairs and nourishment. In case he sinks he wants the world to know that he died with his face toward the foes of prohibition.

He also weejees that his bouncer ejected two whales who were loafing in the lobby.

Miami, Fia., Feb. 7.—The polo match between the Dayton, Ohio, and Fox Hunters, Miami, proved a running with the locals as the first magnet at the local field, Miami front of a 27-to-3 score. The alling space was hard to get. The Miami team won 11 to 6. Rodman Wanamaker, 2nd, scheduled to play number three had not arrived from Palm Beach when the game was called and was substituted by W. L. Hulbert.

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The news of the race will be followed with fat interest. It looks like Lippy's last chance to beat anything across the old gutter.

#### NAVY WRESTLERS WIN FROM LEHIGH

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 7.-The Mid-Lehigh having brought a team of fine collège about two weeks ago, will not physique and spirit and whose mempers knew a considerable amount Semler, it is understood, wishes to

#### ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE LOST STAR ATHLETE

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 7.-Baseball and shipmen began their wrestling season football at St. John's College for this against Lehigh here this afternoon year have sustained a severe blow as in approved Naval Academy style, win- formal announcement has been made ning all their bouts and making the that "Eddie" Semler, of Hagerstown, score of the match 31 to 0, in spite of all Maryland quarterback who lef

about the game. The aggressiveness take a course in engineering, but just and form of the navy grapplers what school he contemplates enterproved too much for them, however. ing is not known.

### WHO'S WHO IN LOCAL GOLFDOM

Beginning with this morning's issue, The Herald will publish daily under the above heading a photograph and short sketch showing just what all local golfers have done in their favorite sport. These sketches will cover all golf players in the Districtgood, bad and indifferent

These stories will be gathered together by The Herald's golf expert, Francis H. Young, and will show what, if any, events each golfer has won; what he considers the best match or thing he ever did in the game; whether he is better at the long or short game, and any other interesting facts in connection with his golf. No followers of the "royal and ancient game" can afford to miss any of these stories.

GOLFERS! WATCH FOR YOUR PHOTOGRAPH AND GOLF HISTORY IN THE DAILY AND SUNDAY HERALD.

negle Eye" Beckley, or better known as "Hit Them Down the Alley, Jake." This player, with the exception of Billy Hart, the old pitcher and umpire, is the only player with the White Sox team as made up last year would remain intact, news has leaked out that a big deal is impending whereby Scott Perry, of the Philadelphia Athletics, will come to the Southsiders in exchange for "Hap" Felsch, and Frank Baker, of the New York Yankees, will be traded for Joe Jackson, who will eventually land with the Boston Red Sox. A motion of the White Sox A motion of the White

lected later.

#### MIAMI POLO TEAM WINS FROM DAYTON

injured his right hand, but continued in the game. The lineup: Dayton team—Colin Gardner, F. B. Paterson, Julius Fleishman, J. D. Platt. Fox Hunters—R. H. Hassler, I. C. Andrews, W. P. Hulbert and H. C. Phipps.

#### JACK DEMPSEY NOT OUALIFIED FOR LEGION

season. Approximately \$10,000 was distributed among the players of every glub except that which finished last graded from \$187.50 for the members of the champion St. Paul club to \$25 for each to the players on the club that finished seventh.

#### New Rowing Candidates.

New York, Feb. 7.—Practice on the machines continued with unabated speed under Jim Rice. Columbia's crew coach, yesterday afternoon. Three new men reported to the machine room, swelling the total number of 'varsity candidates to thirty-four.

### By Dick Mansfield Griffith in Windy City Loaded with New Rules

#### New First Baseman Signed.

President Griffith, before he left President Griffith, before he left for Chicago yesterday, closed a contract with a young college first baseman. He just received the signed papers, which contained the name of E. T. Bowman, of the Vermont University team. It is claimed for him that he is another Fred Tenney. He is one of the hardest hitters and best fielders among the many players up that way...

that way.

Of course, he will not take the
place of Joe Judge, but will likely
be sent to Minneapolis to go
through his preliminary traiping
under Joe Cantillon. Bowman has been ordered to report to the Na-tionals to go South, where Griffith-can give him the once over. Bow-man lives in Montreal, where he is at present doing his training on the

### BECKLEY HAD LONG CAREER

Jake Broke In at Leavenworth and Started With St. Louis in Majors.

(This is the rst installment of the history

I have told you how I picked up three players who were all 300 batters and also two pitchers who were champions of their days. Now I am going to tell you of another player I had the honor of selecting for the Pittsburg Club and who also turned out to be like the other boys who all hit the horse-hide better than a .300 clip. The newest addition to this list was Jacob "Eagle Eye" Beckley, or

### WOODBERRY-FOREST

Orange, Va., Feb. 7.-The Woodber-

L. Hulbert.

There were two bad spills, Julius Fleishman, New York, in a skirmish near the goal fell heavily and retired from the game. He was not seriously hurt. I. C. Andrews, of Pox Hunters' team was thrown and injured his right hand, but continued his right hand, but continued in the game. The life.

### INDIAN HEAD FIVE **BEATEN BY ALOYSIUS**

The strong Indian Head Cardinals who have been making such a record in the Government Reserva-tion League, were taken into camp by the Aloysius Club men last night Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 7.—Jack Dempsey, heavy-weight champion no longer is honorary commander of Gordon Barber Post of the American Legion. The post today had voted that while result was in doubt. The summary of cataliged for honorary membership. The post today had voted that while not calalified for honorary membership in the Legion. Dempsey is unjustly accused of being a slacker.

Bonus System Again.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 7.—The bonus system which made such a hit' with the players and fans of the American Association, will be in effect next season. Approximately \$10,000 was distributed among the players.

# DEFEATED BY ARMY

West Point, N. Y., Feb. 7.—The Army won a close margin victory again today, defeating the fast St. Lawrence University basketball five

#### Old Fox Will Offer Many Suggestions for Change In Laws at Baseball Meeting.

President Clark Griffith, of the Nationals, will reach Chicago this morning prepared to give his views of what should be changed in the rules. He felt confident before he left that many, if not all, of his suggestions would receive favorable

onsideration.

The first and foremost is how to prevent pitchers from giving a bat-ier a base on balls deliberately. Griffith's idea is to leave it to the umpire. If he decides that the twirler is intentionally trying to walk a batter, he shall order all runners to move up a base as a penalty. penalty.

President Griffith has an excellent idea, that when a pitcher intention-ally passes a man then all runners ally passes a man then all runners move up, but if a pitcher tries to fool a batter and the latter should even get a foul off the twirler, then it proves that he has tried to put the ball over. Any wise umpire can tell instantly whether a pitcher is trying to pass a batter or not. It is up to him. If this rule is passed no pitcher is going to walk a man to get at the next man for if a runner should be on third that man is ordered home and the walk would not help. not help.

Griffith is also going to ask that

all stolen bases, such as are pulled when no attempt is made to stop them, be eliminated from the score. No man should be given a stolen base when no attempt has been made to prevent it.

Call Foul Ball.

Another rule that Griffith has in mind is: When a batter is trying to avoid being hit by a wild pitch and the ball strikes the bat and it goes foul, then the umpire should call it a foul. No batter should be charged with a strike in this case. But if the hall goes in the first case. But if the ball goes into fair ter-ritory then of course the batter

New York. Feb. 7.—Four more Rockaway hotels were launched Wednesday, making fifteen that are proceeding to sea under their own power. The Oriental Hotel slid off the ways at noon, enjoying a two-hour handicap on the Pasadena, which started from scratch.

As this is the final hotel race across the Atlantic, the handicappers are somewhat puzzled. About six dozen schooner type bungalows entered the trans-Atlantic regatta, but ran aground off Ireland. A bungalow ain't much good aground.

The first symptoms of a European movement in American real estate was flagged by Gimp Ballard, who owns a Rockaway bungalow of the three-ply type with reinforced metal corners. When the storm of the New York Yankees, will be traded for Joe Jackson, who will eventually land with the Boston Red Sox. A majority of the White Sox players will be traded for Joe Jackson, who will eventually land with the Boston Red Sox. A majority of the White Sox players will be missing from the line-up when the season opens, and to fill the gaps in his machine, Comiskey will be forced to do considerable trading with the minor leagues.

With Mayer already transferred to Columbus and James due to follow him to the minors. Cicotte sulking over alleged unfair treatsulking over all

charged against a patcher if while pitching or starting to pitch, his spikes shall in any manner get caught-on the rubber causing him to lose his balance and prevent him from delivering the ball to the plate as intended. Two umpires in Orange, Va., Feb. 1.—The Woodberry-Forest School basket-ball tossers 
moved another notch toward capturing the State Prep. School championship here today when they defeated 
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the Episcopal High School team of 
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